

## SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

In the Specification:

- 1) Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 8, with the following amended paragraph:

The present application is a division of U.S. Patent application 09/480,880 filed January 10, 2000, which is now U.S. Patent Number 6,659,106, ~~issued December 9, 2003,~~ which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/054,323 filed April 2, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,063,079, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/990,374, filed December 15, 1997 (~~Attorney Docket No. E-3~~, now U.S. Patent No. 6,109,268, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/485,219, filed on June 7, 1995, now U.S. Patent No. 5,697,281 (~~Attorney Docket 16238-000600~~), the complete disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference for all purposes.